




**U.S. Customs and
Border Protection**

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Directors, Field Operations
Directors, Field Operations
Director, Preclearance Operations

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SUBJECT: Nameplates/Name Tapes and Rank Insignias on the Outer
Carriers

As a reminder, one of the priority goals of U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) is to be recognized as the most professional and respected entity in the law enforcement community.

The Office of Field Operations – Uniform Wear Policy requires the outermost uniform garment display the officer's legal last name, insignia and authorized rank insignia. The term "outermost garment" includes jackets, sweaters, vests and body armor/outer carriers (See Chapter 3, Section C-1, C-7 and D-2).

To remain in compliance with the Uniform Wear Policy, nameplates/name tapes and rank insignias on the outer carrier are to be worn in one of the following ways:

- The black hook and loop name tape will be affixed to the outer carrier above the CBP panel, with the appropriate metal rank insignia pinned on the center Molle strap (See Attachment 1).
- The standard nameplate will be affixed to the outer carrier utilizing the Molle strap below the CBP panel, with the appropriate metal rank insignia pinned on the center Molle strap (See Attachment 2).

If you have any questions, please have a member of your staff contact Allison Hanley, Director, Field Programs at (202) 344-2217.

Attachments



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